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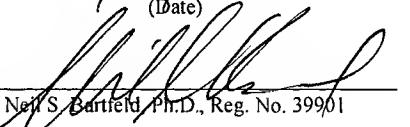
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the claims as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks, along with the **Response to the Restriction Requirement**, begin on page 5 of this paper.